

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

MELANIE H. CASTANEDA,

Plaintiff,

v.

HARRIS & HARRIS, LTD.,

Defendant.

Case No. 1:21-cv-03138

Honorable Jorge L. Alonso

**AGREED STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL WITH PREJUDICE**

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the Plaintiff, MELANIE H. CASTANEDA, and the Defendant, HARRIS & HARRIS, LTD., through their respective counsel that the above-captioned action is dismissed, with prejudice, against, HARRIS & HARRIS, LTD., pursuant to settlement and Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41. Each party shall bear its own costs and attorney fees.

Dated: September 22, 2021

Respectfully Submitted,

**MELANIE H. CASTANEDA**

**HARRIS & HARRIS, LTD.**

/s/ Nathan C. Volheim

/s/ Louis J. Manetti, Jr. (with consent)

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I today caused a copy of the foregoing document to be electronically filed with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will be sent to all attorneys of record.

/s/ Nathan C. Volheim

Nathan C. Volheim